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Hon. Rosa DeLauro Chairwoman House Appropriations Committee 2413 RHOB Washington, DC 20515 Hon. Kay Granger Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee 1026 LHOB Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Primary Health Care Dental Project. They are requesting \$100,000 in funding.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Iowa Primary Health Care Inc., located at 2353 SE 14<sup>th</sup> St. Des Moines, IA 50314

Primary HealthCare (PHC, is requesting the total amount of \$100,000 to purchase new dental operatory equipment at the Bery Engebretsen Dental Clinic. This dental clinic is 14 years old and outdated with original finishes and equipment and just recently started the process of updating the approximate 7000SF with new paint, flooring, and furniture in all common areas (front desk, reception, provider office, breakroom and restrooms) as well as installation of all new sterilization equipment. Current op equipment is out of date and obsolete, with the costs for ongoing repairs cost-prohibitive.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

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Cindy Axne

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